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REF: A) STATE 0481, B) DAR 5624

1. GIST OF CALTEX DEC 26 LETTER FOLLOWS: LETTER STATES THAT CALTEX THROUGH ITS LAWYER, TANZANIA LEGA CORPORATION, (TANGOV OWNED), HAS BEEN ATTEMPTING OBTAIN COMPENSATION FOR A SERVICE STATION AND FLATS EXPROPRIATED UNDER ACQUISITION OF BUILDINGS ACT IN 1971. LETTER STATES COMPANY NOT HAVING MUCH SUCCESS AND WOULD APPRECIATE ANY ASSISTANCE US EMBASSY COULD RENDER RE BRINGING MATTER TO ATTENTION OF RESPONSIBLE TANGOV OFFICIALS. FILE ON SUBJECT, WHICH LETTER DESCRIBED AS COMPLETE, WAS ATTACHED.

2. BULK OF FILE, BEGINNING IN 1972, CONSISTS OF CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN CALTEX AND ITS LEGAL COUNSEL AND CORRESPONDENCE FROM THE TANZANIA LEGAL CORPORATION TO TANGOV OFFICIALS SUCH AS MINFINANCE, MINLANDS AND HOUSING, AND REGISTRAR OF BUILDINGS. MAJORITY OF LETTERS MERELY ASK FOR RESPONSE TO EARLIER LETTERS REGARDING REQUEST FOR COMPENSATION. FILE ALSO CONTAINS A REPORT VALUATION OF CONFISCATED PROPERTY CONDUCTED BY INDEPENDENT FIRM. IN APRIL 1974, FIRM ASSESSED OPEN MARKET VALUE OF PROPERTY AT TSH 431,000 (US\$60,000). COPY OF THIS REPORT WAS SENT TO TANGOV OFFICIALS WITH REQUEST FOR COMPENSATION.

3. ABOVE REPRESENTS EXTENT OF EMBASSY'S KNOWLEDGE OF THIS CASE. AS REPORTED REF B, ECONOFF RAISED MATTER WITH TREASURY REGISTRAR DEC 31. LOCAL CALTEX MGR INFORMED. SPAIN

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